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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED December 14, 2006**

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Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin at page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin at page 5.

Summary of Interview begins at page 12.

Remarks begin at page 13.